

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. - 18. Cancelled

19. (Previously Amended) A method for providing a pre-surgical warning for use on a body having an intended surgical site to be operated upon during surgical procedure and a plurality of sites which are not intended surgical sites in said surgical procedure, comprising the steps of:

- a. selecting a site which is not an intended surgical site from said plurality of sites which are not intended surgical sites to provide a selected site which is not an intended surgical site,
- b. placing a label on said selected site which is not an intended surgical site to provide a labeled selected site which is not an intended surgical site, said label having a superior side and an inferior side,
- c. providing a visually perceivable indicator on said superior side of said label to warn against surgery on said labeled selected site which is not an intended surgical site, and
- d. attaching said inferior side in the vicinity of said labeled selected site which is not an intended surgical site to warn against surgery on said labeled selected site which is not an intended surgical site in a manner wherein said label is removable after said surgical procedure.

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